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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For: Method for Electronic Communication Providing Self-Encrypting and Self-Verification Capabilities

This application is being filed without payment of the filing fee or submission of a Declaration and Power of Attorney; these items will be submitted in response to a Notice of Missing Parts.

Enclosed are:

x 47 Pages Specification, Claims and Abstract (Letter Size)

x 5 Sheets of Drawings (Informal) and

_____ A verified statement to establish small entity status
under 37 CFR § 1.9 and 37 CFR § 1.27.

____ Declaration and Power of Attorney

____ Assignment, with Assignment Recordation Form

Information Disclosure Statement, _ references

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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\$710.00

Total Claims 8 - 20 = 0 Extra * \$18 = \$0.00

Independent Claims 4 - 3 = 1 Extra * \$78 = \$78.00


Total Fee = \$788.00

- ___ A check for the filing fee of \$ 768 is enclosed.
- ___ A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the assignment recording fee is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0401. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X All correspondence regarding this application should be directed to Michael de Angeli at the above address.

Respectfully submitted,

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